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Verrips
09/880,199
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LACTOBACILLUS CONTAINING PRODUCT

Group: 1761
Examiner: K. Hendricks
Edgewater, New Jersey 07020

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
[] No additional fee is required.

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Independent Claims	5	Minus	4	1	\$ 84.00	84.00
Multiple Claims					\$ 280.00	—
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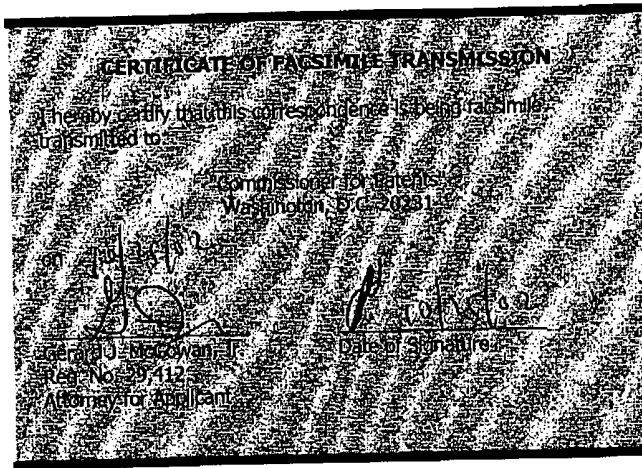
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action mailed June 25, 2002, a one month extension of time for response to which is being requested, please amend the application as follows: